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John Hunt
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Subject: Final Acceptance of Amendment to Small Mining Activities, Sevier County, Bull Claim Hill Rock Quarry, S/041/0037, Sevier County, Utah

Dear Mr. Hunt:

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining received the additional information requested for your approval of the amended Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (Notice) for the Bull Claim Hill Rock Quarry (S/041/0037). You are permitted to conduct small mining activities as outlined in the amended Notice provided you have approval from all other appropriate agencies. The approval or acceptance of a complete notice of intention does not relieve an operator from his responsibility to comply with the applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and ordinances of all local, state and federal agencies with jurisdiction over any aspect of the operator's mining operations. Enclosed please find a copy of the amended Notice.

Please keep in mind the following regulatory requirements.

- Stockpiling topsoil material prior to beginning activities will help ensure successful revegetation. Even the top few inches of undeveloped material are worth saving since they can expedite acceptable revegetation and the full release of reclamation surety.
- If you encounter any archaeological or historical items, you are asked to notify this office and the State Historic Preservation Office of your find.
- Annual reports and permit fees are due by January 31st.

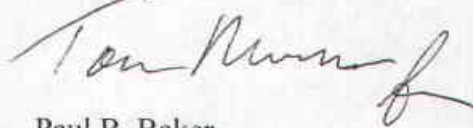
Your total reclamation surety amount held by the State is \$37,200, which is adequate for the combined current and planned disturbance of nearly seven acres. On July 16, 2012, the BLM provided its concurrence with this surety amount.



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The Division's web page at <http://ogm.utah.gov> under the Mining Program has a link to the rules under which you are expected to operate and to other information to assist you in complying with program requirements. Thank you for your cooperation. In reply, please refer to file number S/041/0037. If you have questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact me at 801-538-5261 or Peter Brinton at 801-538-5258. Best wishes with your mining venture!

Sincerely,



Paul B. Baker
Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosure: surety forms

Copy of approved NOI

cc: Wayne Wetzel, BLM-Richfield (UTU-83195) w/surety enclosures

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